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dusty streets who would also like to go to a swimming pool, but as there are no more buses, they can't have the pleasure that they should have. This enormous interest in swimming proves undoubtedly that we cannot wait any longer to have our own swimming pool in St. Albert. It is no longer the time

to make jokes but is a serious thing. If 450 (2,000 if we had the buses) have to be transported from St. Albert to another city just to swim, there must be something wrong!

Which service club in St. Albert has the courage and initiative to start an all year round newspaper bingo with the proceeds going towards an all year round swimming pool? May we suggest the Nicholson Fund. All parents interested in having their children swimming in St. Albert would certainly support this newspaper bingo. A nice job for one of our service clubs.

PIANO CONCERT

Piano students of Mrs. P. Upright recently held their annual June Recital for Parents at Mrs. Upright's home. The students, ranging from grades 1 - 8, included Susan and Janet Kelly, David Upright, Janice Unterschultz, Sherry Miller, Holly and Patty Nickerson, Michael Ross, Danni Jowtak, Kerry and Dilyn Cassidy, Sheila Roe, Irene Schultz, Susan McFee, Elaine Guts, Marilyn Kittlitz and Sandra Barry.

Special guest was Mr. John Hermanns, a St. Albert resident and French horn player with the P.P.J.L.I. band, and the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra. Mr. Hermanns gave an interesting talk and demonstration of his instrument and then, with Mrs. Upright at the piano, performed the final movement of Mozart's Third Horn Concerto.

Misses Irene and Simone Lafranchise left for a 3 month tour of Europe, June 9th. They will visit several countries including Italy, Denmark, Holland and Germany. While in Germany, Miss Irene Lafranchise will give an organ recital at the RIAS Station in Baden-Baden.

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GUESS CONTEST

This week's Guess Contest was a real 'toughie'. Some people thought it was a porcupine, some a cat's eye. Closer though were those who guessed a dog's eye and a dog's tail. They had the right animal but the wrong part of its anatomy. It was the wet, black nose of a little dog. Ken Forbes of 35 Sheridan Drive had the correct answer for this one, so a cheque for \$5.00 will be on its way. Won't you try this week's "Guess" contest? Your answer may be drawn this week and if it's correct, you will receive the \$5.00 prize.

The school term finished for some of the students on Wednesday, June 19. Others were dismissed on June 21 and the final group completed the year on Friday, June 26. It is encouraging to look over the high school enrolment and note that the student attendance was relatively steady throughout the whole year. The drop-out ratio was very low. This speaks very well for the students, as it tends to indicate that they realize the grow-

PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3

ing need for education to meet the trying problems of this ever changing era of "The Space Age".

A very important matter which is under development, is the participation with Sturgeon Health Unit, in the establishment of an Educational Psychologist within our boundaries. This will offer untold assistance to those students who may need specialized direction towards their future achievements.

SCHOOLBOARD OFFICES

Both the Separate and the Public School Boards have definitely decided to build their own school board offices. The Separate School Board will build theirs on a piece of land owned by the School Board, south of Sir Alexander Mackenzie School, and the Public School Board will build on an historic place opposite the Youville Home. The first school in St. Albert was built there in 1909 and was called the Father Merer School. Both school boards turned down the proposal to rent the downstairs of the Town Hall which would have cost each \$2,000. per year. They based their decisions on different points. For instance, they

can take out a 25 year loan and at the end of the 25 years they have a building instead of paying rent and having nothing. Second, they also are convinced that within 3 or 4 years the Town Hall location would be too small, so that they would have to look for other quarters anyway.

The Public School Board was offered 700 sq. ft. for \$2,000. rent per year, including heating. Now they will build a 2,000 sq. ft. office, with a 2,000 sq. ft. warehouse and maintenance workshop, altogether 4,000 sq. ft., which will cost them approximately \$3,300. per year for a space more than 5 times bigger than the 700 sq. ft. in the Town Hall.

SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 6

Superintendent Appointed: The Board of Trustees is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. A. Proudfoot to Superintendent of this school district, effective September 1st, 1963.

Dr. Proudfoot took his undergraduate work at the University of Alberta where he obtained his B.Ed. degree. He obtained his M.Ed. and Doctorate degrees

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From Our Readers

Dear Editor,
In regards to your swimming pool. Our family are all good swimmers, and would certainly appreciate a pool - why not clear out our unsightly, health hazard, unsafe river, make a beach and swimming spot. It would be less expensive, beautify our town, attract tourists and be a place for everyone to enjoy regardless of means.

Later on, when the town is in a better financial position, and heavier populated to carry the load, I most certainly would suggest an indoor swimming pool. I think it would be a burden on the citizens of St. Albert, to be taxed anymore at this time.

Let's wait before we run.

Most sincerely,

Mrs. G. Carlyle.

P.S. Only half the people here, could use an indoor pool, when everyone could enjoy a beach, regardless of age or health.

at the University of Oregon where from 1960-61 he worked on research and in the 1961-62 semester taught on university staff.

He commenced his teaching career in Sullivan Lake, where he taught all grades for a period of three years. The next five years were spent in the Three Hills school division teaching junior and senior high school. For the past year, he has been employed by the Department of Education as Superintendent of Schools in the Peace River School Division.

Shortly after August 1st, Dr. Proudfoot, who is in his early thirties, will be moving to St. Albert with his wife and three children, aged 8, 5 and 2.

The Board is of the opinion that they are most fortunate in being able to obtain a man of Dr. Proudfoot's caliber to fill the position of Chief Executive Officer of the School District.

Other Administrative Appointments: Mr. D.L. Petherbridge, Supervising Principal and Principal of the Sir Alexander Mackenzie School, for various reasons, both personal and those concerned with the school district, has decided to withdraw his application for leave of absence, and has been appointed Principal of the new Paul Kane High School. Mr. J. Hrynew Vice Principal of the Sir Alexander Mackenzie School, has been appointed Vice Principal of the Paul Kane High School. Mr. R. Dressler, who is returning after three years in Department of National Defence Schools in Germany, will return to his position as Principal of the Sir Alexander Mackenzie School. Mr. H. Mockford, presently teaching in the Sir George Simpson School, has been appointed Vice Principal of the Sir Alexander Mackenzie School.

Mr. F. Carnahan, Acting Principal of the Sir George Simpson School and Mr. G. Miller, Acting Vice Principal, have been appointed Principal and Vice Principal respectively.

All of the Principal and Vice Principal appointees have had past experience in our District and have proved themselves worthy of the confidence the Board has seen fit to place in them.



by A. P. Brunner

Recent baptisms:

Robert McKenzie Miller, son of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Miller. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. Hugh MacDonald.

Christine Marie Rousseau, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Laurier Rousseau. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. Georges Nobert.

Gerardus Johannes Kok, son of Mr. & Mrs. Gerardus Kok. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. Jan Mathon.

Conrad Schuhite, son of Mr. & Mrs. Alfons Schuhite. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. John Kiosk.

Shirley Ann Casavant, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Casavant. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. Wilfred Casavant.

Dawn Elizabeth Lassichuk, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Donald Lassichuk. Godparents are Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Belley.

Retreats

The Oblates of Mary Immaculate are participating in Retreats. There are two weeks of Retreat for Oblate Fathers and one week for the Brothers of the Oblate Order. The Retreat Movement is not only for lay people, it is also for the clergy. The Retreat Movement is not only for Catholics, but for all who have a desire to spend a few days participating in religious exercises to renew their relationship with their Creator.

RECREATION

Boys 13-15, interested in softball or borden, come to Vital Grandin every Tuesday and Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Recreation Director Phone 599-6601 after 5:30 p.m. 599-7630

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11.00 Stewart G-Rainger

Sunday 7 - Monday 8 - Tuesday 9

NIGHTS OF RASPUTIN

9.30 Edmund Purdom

THE SKY ABOVE MUD BELOW

11.00 Documentary



Dr. A. Proudfoot, new Superintendent of the Separate School District #6.

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help wanted

"FEMALE HELP WANTED: SCHOOL SECRETARY REQUIRED:

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FOR THE POSITION OF SCHOOL SECRETARY
TO COMMENCE DUTIES ON AUGUST 12, 1963. APPLICANT MUST HAVE
TRAINING IN TYPING AND OFFICE PROCEDURE. EXPERIENCE DESIRED
BUT NOT ESSENTIAL. APPLY IN WRITING GIVING FULL PARTICULARS
TO SECRETARY-TREASURER, ST. ALBERT PROTESTANT SEPARATE SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 6, P. O. BOX 60, ST. ALBERT.

BROWNIES AT STORYLAND ZOO

A tour of Storyland Zoo and Picnic high-
lighted the end of a successful year for
the 2nd St. Albert Brownie Pack.
In spite of the rain, the Brownies, Lead-
ers and mothers enjoyed the Saturday
afternoon. After the tour of the zoo
the Pack went to the Picnic Grounds for
their picnic. Before the picnic, the
Brownies had a Fairy Ring.
Mrs. Brunner, Brown Owl, presented Golden

Bars to Karen Donais, Jo-Anne Borle,
Drucilla Adamyk and Lynn Bouchard. Gold-
en Hand badges were presented to Claire
Henry, Helen Commandeur, Suzanne Lockhart
and Kim Donais. Sheila Henry, a Tweenie
was enrolled by Brown Owl.
Proficiency badges were presented by Mrs.
R. Lafleur, Tawny Owl, to Helen Command-
eur, who received her Collector's; House
Orderly to Kim Donais and Debra Evans and

St. MATTHEWS (ANGLICAN) MISSION

IMPORTANT NOTICE

COMMENCING SUNDAY JULY 7th, 1963, AND
THROUGH JULY AND AUGUST, SERVICES
WILL BE HELD EACH SUNDAY IN:

THE SCIENCE ROOM
SIR GEORGE SIMPSON SCHOOL
GROSVENOR BOULEVARD
AT 9:30 A.M.

Swimmer's to Kim Donais.

Kathy Rush and Kathleen Byrne were pre-
sented with the Golden Leader by Mrs. A.
Belhaumeur. A Brownie autograph book
was won by Lynn Bouchard for highest at-
tendance, with Brownie handkerchiefs
going to Michelle Roboud, Suzanne Lock-
hart and Constance Leblanc followups.
On behalf of the Pack, Suzanne Lockhart
presented a gift to Yvette Houle, who
will be going to a Guide Camp in British
Columbia. The Pack are proud of their
Packie who has done so much for us all
during the past year. We all hope Yvette
will be able to continue to be Packie in
the next term.

After the picnic the Brownies enjoyed a
game of baseball and sing songs.
A big vote of thanks to all the drivers:
Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Donais and Mrs. W. Borle.
The leaders would like to thank all the
others who came to make the day memor-
able for all the Brownies.

THE ST. ALBERT ON STURGEON PLAYERS

The final business meeting of the season
was held on June 26 at Nan Tandrup's home.
President Delores Knill reported that
the Studio Theatre had bequeathed to us
innumerable sets and properties. They
were most appreciated, though storage at
the present time presents somewhat of a
problem.

The fall programme was discussed. One
act plays will be worked on during the
year for our own experience and at least
two three act plays will be produced for
the public. Carlee Adams is to be in
charge of Programme. During the summer
the club is to meet monthly for a social
evening.

It was decided that the membership fee
would be \$5.00, or \$3.00 for anyone under
21.

Committee for the Civic Day Parade was
drawn up, consisting of Tom Turner, Nan
Tandrup, Doug Ingle and Eleanor Wilson.
The theme and mode of transportation was
left up to the resourcefulness of the
committee.

The meeting adjourned to the Community
Hall to put the sets in order and clean
up.

Services

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SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. & Mrs. Sylvio Bonneville celebrated their 25th Anniversary on Sunday June 23. They were entertained by their children Robert, Jeannette, Dorothy and Lionel at a garden party with 57 relatives present. This was also a family reunion of the Albert Bonneville family, when three brothers and four sisters were all together for the first time in 30 years. They are: Roland, St. Albert; Sylvio, St. Albert; Father Maurice Bonneville, St. Boniface, Man.; Sister St. Reginald S.M., New York, U.S.A.; Sister Marie Albert

S.M., Scarboro, Ont.; Mrs. Germaine Lalonde, Powell River, B.C.; Mrs. Claire Lalonde, Parry Sound, Ont.

Father Maurice Bonneville celebrated the 25th Anniversary Mass assisted by his nephew, Lionel.

A lovely three tier wedding cake was cut by the bride and groom of 25 years and distributed to the guests.

Many lovely gifts were received, one of which was lovely lawn furniture from their four children

to the grounds of Dr. and Mrs. W.L. Cuts to the north of the church yard, and there joined in a most enjoyable picnic. There were games and activities for the children (some of these were such that parents became involved) and a quiet time for fellowship among the older folk. It was estimated that over 300 people were present.

Coming Events: Sunday morning service at 9:30 on June 30 saw the presentation of 6 young people to the congregation and the presentation of grants of money to each as assistance to enable them to attend the training school at Naramata in British Columbia. This school seeks to train lay-people to be more effective witnesses to their faith and workers in church activities. Last year two students went from St. Albert and returned to make great contributions to the life and work of the congregation. This year the following are attending the school: Norma Noon, Karen Kaupilla, Joan Thibault, Marguerite Kittlitz, Virginia Blackie and Robert Rogers.

During the months of July and August, the congregations of the Baptist and United Churches in St. Albert will both gather in the United Church Sanctuary for Sunday worship. During the month of July, Rev. James Joly of the Baptist Church will fill the pulpit, and during the month of August, Rev. Dr. Edward Schwarz, of the United Church, will be the preacher. Communion Service during July will be on the first Sunday, July 7. In August, the Communion Service will be on the second Sunday, August 11, and the Sacrament of Infant Baptism will be held on August 18.

United Church

Church School Promotion Sunday: The 9:30 morning service on 23 June in St. Albert United Church was the occasion of the recognition of achievement of some 200 of the 250 children registered in the Sunday Church School. The minister, Rev. Dr. E.R. Schwarz, paid tribute to the work of the Christian Education Committee for its total work of providing mid-week and Church School religious instruction and to the Church School Staff for their more specific teaching ministry. Mr. H.H. Mockford, Church School Superintendent, introduced the teaching staff to the congregation. The names of students being promoted and/or receiving awards and prizes for memory work and attendance were read and the students each came forward to the chancel to receive their certificates and awards. In the sermon Dr. Schwarz made reference to the words of 1 Samuel 17:40-50 and Luke 2:46-52 in terms that both David and Jesus underwent years of preparation for tasks that God had for them to undertake. David learned skill with the sling and confidence in God's help while serving in the field tending sheep and then,

called to serve, he went forth in confidence and simplicity to slay Goliath and from that victory to go on to become the ruler over the united kingdoms of Israel and Judah: Jesus learned the deep truths of religion in the synagogue and family circle while a youth. Later, called to service by God, He went into the desert and there overcame temptation using lessons learned as a youth even as David had overcome Goliath with skills learned as a youth. Jesus went on to establish the "Kingdom" in the hearts of men even as David had established the "united" kingdom. Dr. Schwarz then went on to contrast the kingdoms established by these two; David established his kingdom using force of arms, he ruled it by law, he preserved it with pride, and his kingdom was a geographic area, the "kingdom" established by Jesus was one in the hearts of men, it was established by the force of love, ruled by concern for neighbour, and preserved by a sense of humility. Dr. Schwarz concluded by calling on those present to prepare themselves for the tasks appointed for them by God.

Church School Picnic: Following the Sunday service the congregation retired

UNITED CHURCH CHOIR

The choir has enjoyed an active year, preparing special music for Christmas and Easter, as well as presenting an evening concert of sacred music. Rehearsals for the choir will be suspended over the summer months, to resume on Thursday, September 5. New members are always welcome, and it is hoped that the change of evening, from Friday to Thursday, will allow many to join who until now have been unable to do so. Anyone desiring further information on the work of the choir is invited to phone Mrs. P. Upright at 599-6997.

ST. ALBERT DAY ON RADIO

Mayor Veness received a letter from CFRN Radio thanking the people of St. Albert for their co-operation the day CFRN broadcast from St. Albert. The letter said they have received many nice comments about the broadcast and hope to be able to visit St. Albert again.



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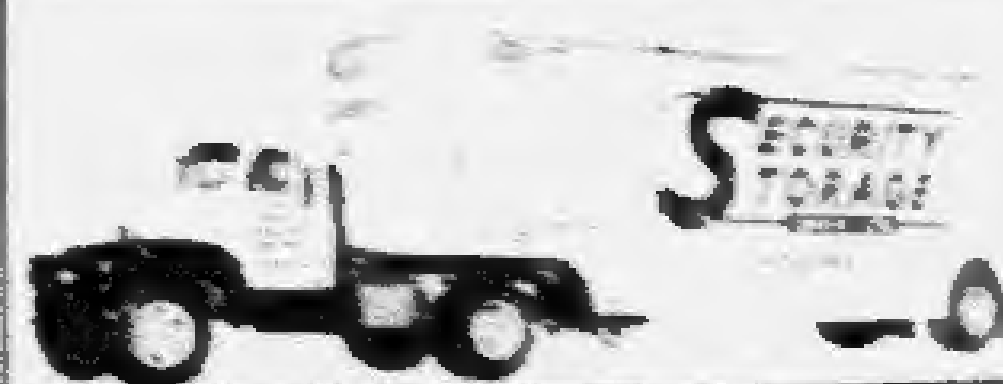
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SATURDAY IS FIELD DAY FUN FOR YOUR CHILDREN

The Sturgeon Heights Recreation Committee met on Monday night to finalise the program for the July 6th Invitational Field Day which will take place at Vital Grandin School. Here is a general rundown of the program as planned. There will be a parade starting at 1:30 p.m. All those interested in taking part will be at the starting line on Salisbury at 1:30 so that the parade can be organised. It will move along Salisbury, and then connect to Vital Grandin School, where prizes, costumes, wagons, etc. will be judged. The theme of the decorations for costumes, prizes, etc. will be the story of Peter Pan. A search for an article from that story will take place later, with a prize for the winner. The preschool children will be in an area by themselves for their games. In the main part of the school yard there will be many novelty games and races, such as Over and Under, Three-legged, Egg on a spoon, Straw and bean, Jockey ball, kick, Ball throwing, Bowling, Obstacle race, Tunnel ball, and Tag of war, for everyone from Grades 1 to 12. The day will be topped off by a visit from the Playground Players, who have generously consented to come. All in all, it looks like a top day for St. Albert. Everyone is welcome, so don't forget it!

The starting time at 1:30 p.m.
The parade starts at 1:30 p.m.
The events start at 2 p.m.

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